Introduced by Committee on Energy, Utilities and Communications (Senators Bowen (Chair), Alarcon, Battin, Dunn, Morrow, Murray, Sher, and Vasconcellos)

## March 1, 2004

An act to add and repeal Section 316.6 of the Public Utilities Code, relating to telecommunications.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1891, as introduced, Committee on Energy, Utilities and Communications. Telecommunications market: report to the Legislature.

Existing law repealed as of January 1, 2004, a requirement that the Public Utilities Commission submit to the Legislature, on or before October 31 of each year, a report on, among other things, the status of competition in the telecommunications marketplace.

This bill would, until January 1, 2007, require the commission to submit a report to the Legislature, on or before October 31 of each year, on the competitiveness of the telecommunications markets in the state.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 316.6 is added to the Public Utilities
- 2 Code, to read:
- 3 316.6. (a) The commission shall submit a report to the
- 4 Legislature, on or before October 31 of each year, on the
- 5 competitiveness of the telecommunications markets in the state.

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- (b) This section shall remain in effect only until January 1, 2007, and as of that date is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that is enacted before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends that date.